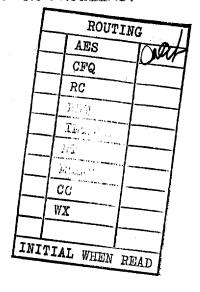


FOR YOUR INFORMATION AVERAGE TIME ENROUTE FOR MESSAGES RECEIVED FOR PAST FEW DAYS IS FOUR HOURS. WHEN YOU DISPATCH MESSAGE HERE YOU MAY EXPECT AS MUCH AS 1 AND 1/2 HOURS VARIATION ON EITHER SIDE. OF THE FOUR HOUR FIGURE. SUGGEST CONSIDER CURRENT DELAY IN OUR COMMUNICATIONS WHEN DISPATCHING OPERATIONAL MESSAGES. THIS DELAY APPEARS TO BE EXCESSIVE HOWEVER WE NOT UP ON PROBLEMS.

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